# MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

# DEXTER DEAL IS DECLARED OFF.

Holders of Option on Nevada Property Wanted More Time Which Was Not Granted.

### ALREADY HAD ONE EXTENSION.

Camp on Eve of New Era of Prosperity-Strike in the Ford Group Of Claims.

Today was the date set for the expiration of the option held by eastern parties on the property of the Dexter-Tuscarora Mining company, which owns a valuable property at Tuscarora, Nev., but up to a late hour this afternoon, there were no indications that the money would be forthcoming. An official of the company, when ask-

ed concerning the matter, stated that he hardly believed that the option would be exercised for the reason that the holders had made a request for further time and, this having been granted them once already, it was concluded that unless the parties wanted to do business now the whole affair could just as well be called off. Accordingly, ce was served on the parties to that

There are very good reasons to be-lieve that the old Nevada camp is going to take some rapid strides for-ward again. Recent developments in going to take some rapid strides forward again. Recent developments in several parts of the district indicate this. In the Ford property gold ore, extremely rich, has been found; but developments have not been carried along far enough to really determine what the strike is going to amount to, yet the impression prevails quite generally in camp that it will turn out to be a big thing. At the Dexter, leasers are working and, according to late advices, are making very good money. The ore extracted is milled at the company's plant and the contents brought pany's plant and the contents brought away in the shape of bullion.

# TINTIC MINING NEWS.

Mines of Camp Sent Out 152 Car Loads of Ore This Week.

Special Correspondence Eureka, April 14.-The ore shipments from Tintic district continue to in-crease, 152 carloads being sent to the smelters during the week ending Thursday night, April 12. The minerals were extracted from the following properties

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George N. Lawrence has given a mining deed to Thomas Welr of the Bonanza, Bonanza No. 1, and Bonanza No. 3 and Kokomo lode mining claims, located in West Tintic. C. S. Varian et al have given a quit claim deed to B. S. Varian to a 1/2 in-terest in the Golden Chain mining

## ONTARIO TUNNEL.

Good Headway Being Made in Drift

Around Caved Section An arrival from Park City during the day brought the information that the Ontario Silver Mining company is making splendid headway with the driving of the drift around the caved section of the tunnel. During the present week the company completed the work of putting in an air compressor at the mouth of the tunnel and laying a pipe line to the scene of the trouble, L200 line to the scene of the trouble, 1,200 feet in. Now Burleigh drills are pounding away and four six-hour shifts are employed,

# STAR CON. MEETING.

Directors Will Consider Future Plans Next Week.

The future of the Star Consolidated is to be determined at a meeting of the directors to be held some time next week. There is little doubt in the minds of those perfectly familiar with Star Con, affairs that the company cannot hope to attain any degree of success miles it work on the suggestion of Star.

#### AN AGREEMENT REACHED. Mine Owners and Miners Will Not Hitch On Wage Scale.

request of the Eureka Miners union for a uniform wage scale in the Tintic district for men employed as muckers has been met with a response from the mine owners satisfactory to the union. In a majority of the mines of the country to the c of the camp there will be no change; that is to soy, most of the mines al-ready paid the wage for this class of labor that the union asked to have made uniform in all Tintle camps. The matter was discussed at a meet ing of mine managers, held in this city reveral days ago.

## GOOD DIVIDEND RECORD.

Forty-Three Companies Paid More Than

\$18,000,000 in March. March was a good dividend month according to the statistics collected by the Engineering and Mining Journal, the Engineering and Mining Journal, \$18,477,295 having been paid 42 mining and metallurgical companies in the United States. This is nearly three times the total reported in January, and fully \$6,000,000 more than in February. The increase in March was due principally to the declaration by the Standard Oil company of a quarterly dividend of \$14,550,000, against \$6,790,000 in December; by the addition of \$500,000 to the \$1,000,000 quarterly of the Calumet & Hecla copper mine;

# Today's Metal Quotations:

Local setting prices as reported by the American Smelting and Refining company: SILVER, • • 573/4

COPPER, CASTING . 141/2 " FLECTRO 1438 LEAD, \$3.50@\$4.50

# New York Quotations:

LEAD, firm, \$4.50@\$4.60 COPPER, quiet, 153/6@151/3;

by doubling the monthly payment to \$150,000 of the Bunker Hill & Sullivan Mining & Concentrating company of Idaho; by the bonus of \$50,00 0,making \$150,000 declared for the quarter on the common stock of the Federal Minthe common stock of the Federal Mining & Smelting company, in addition to the regular quarterly of \$175,000 on the preferred; by the resumption of the extra dividend of 25 cents per share, making 50 cents, or \$103,200 monthly, by the Homestake Gold Mining company of South Dakota, and by the increase from \$1,50 per share to \$2 (\$40,000 for the quarter) of the Texas & Pacific Coal company. An unusual payment was \$1 per share, or \$180,000, by the Alaskan Mexican Mining company, which would have distributed 30 cents, or \$54,000, quarterly in April. In contrast to this is the initial quarterly dividend of 60 cents per share, \$108,000, declared by the Daly-West mine in Utah, an amount, by the share, \$108,000, declared by the Daly-West mine in Utah, an amount by the way, considerable less than one-half what would have been paid had the monthly dividend of 40 cents per share, or \$72,000, been continued. More economic management in working the mine is explanation for the new dividend pol-

The March dividends were distributed The March dividends were distributed as follows: Twenty gold, silver and lead properties, \$1,471,283; three copper, \$2,014,915; one zine, \$1,500; four coal and coke, \$153,317; 14 gas and oil, \$14,-\$17,189; one chemical \$19,000; total, 43 companies, \$18,477,205. In addition to these dividends Americans have shared in the payment of \$190,000, the first bimonthly, by the Greene Consolidated company of Mexico, and \$150,900 by a Central American mine.

#### UTAH COPPER STOCKS. Bingham Consolidated Was Sought in

Boston Today. (Special to the "News.")

Boston, Mass., Apri 15.—Utah copper stocks were very active today, and the feature was furnished by Bingham Consolidated, which displayed unusual strength. The stock was in big demand, and the closing sale was the highest of the day. Boston Consolidated was offered around \$8.50 a share and ed was offered around \$8.50 a share, and readily absorbed. United States Min-lng continued in good order.

### Nevada Stocks.

James A. Pollock & Co., brokers, reported the following quotations from San Francisco today:

Bid. Asked.

Stocks.

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1	Goldfield	.67	.69
1	Mohawk	12 (27) 17	.48
-	Jim Butler	.97	,98
1	Jumbo	. 92	.94
1	Jumbo Extension	.27	.28
1	MacNamara	.41	.48
н	Ray O'Brien	.07	
1	Montana-Tonopah	3.43	3.45
1	Redtop	. 37	.38
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1	Tonopali-Belmont	1.55	1.40
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-1	Gold Mountain	.14	.15
-1	North Star	.58	. 60
- 1	Tonopah Midway	1.70	1.72%
	Ohio-Tonopah	******	.35
- ]	Kendall	.32	. 35
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	Bullfrog	.37	. 38
п	Bullion	.36	.38
	Belcher	.30	. 32
	Con. Virginia comme	1.75	1.80
	Ophir	11.12%	11,25
	Calgdonia	.56	.58
	Mexican	2.50	2.55
	Savage	.39	,40
	Potosi a management	.15	.16
	Union sensor or recovery	.79	,80
	Jacket communication	.29	.30
	Exchequer	.58	,60
	Norcross accessors	,89	.00
	Black Butte Terreries	, 36	,87
	Cash Boy	******	.35
	Andes	132	,32
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	Scorpion		.30
	Silver Pick	.20	.22
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# ON THE COMSTOCK.

hope to attain any degree of success unless it acts on the suggestion of Supt.

J. P. Turner to go deeper with the shaft. But financial distress prevents any step in that direction until the directors can figure out ways and means to overcome it. Just what can be done remains to be seen. The stock is non-assessable, so no funds can be raised in that manner. It would probably be a difficult matter for the present share-holders to consent to a voluntary assessment, inasmuch as a large part of the money received in that manner once before has not been returned.

So the problem is a difficult one to solve. Supt, Turner believes if the mine is opened at loast 300 feet lower down chances are favorable.

AN AGREEMENT REACHED. with proper drain pipes to take the water discharged from the lower levels of the mines. This agreement is to remain in force for five Mears.

## CONCENTRATES.

Elmer Hill, the Bingham mining man, Broker J. L. Reynolds will leave for

this marning to look into some of the

A. V. Taylor, manager of the Pitts-burg-Utah Oil company, departed for

Walter C. Orem, manager of the Utah Apes mine of Bingham departed for

amp this morning. H. L. Thomas, superintendent of the Park City Electric Light company, is

ompany has returned from a busines rip to Nevada.

Visitors to Tintic tomorrow will be accorded the privileges of looking through the May Day mine. The man-agement will keep open house.

William Robinson, former assistant superintendent of the Yampa mines, vas yesterday, named as superinter fent of the Silver Shield mine of Bing-

The ore and bullion settlements re-ported late yesterday by McCornick & To., were as follows: Crude ore and concentrates \$41,700; base bullion, \$37,-

A party of prospectors came into Ploche from the Troy mining district, with specimens of gold ore that assay-ed as high as \$300 per ton.—Callente Programs

Cashier E. J. Pithey of the Utah consolidated, who has been under the veather for several weeks, will leave onight for Los Angeles over the Salt Lake Route for a vacation and rest.

M. F. Murray, manager of the Frank-

M. F. Murray, manager of the Frank-lin mining interests in Plute and Sevier counties, is in the city today on a brief-business trip. Mr. Murray says good progress is being made with develop-ment work, and confirmed the report sent in about the recent strike in the Mountain Queen mine. Manager Walter S. Kelley of the

Yampa mines, accompanied by W. J. Craig, departed for Tintic this morning to look through the sloux tunnel property which is owned by the same interests which control the Yampa. This goes to indicate that the Tintic property may be operated again. property may be operated again. The mill on the Gold Eagle at Neal s doing rather better than had been anticipated by the management. The saving on the plates runs from \$4 to \$6 a ton, and the concentrates reach a value of \$160 a ton. The mill is re-ducing 50 tons a day and turning out

five tons of concentrates. A carload of these is now being hauled to Boise for shipment.—Boise Statesman. W. H. Frost, a Salt Lake mining man, leaves Callente this week in company with James Lemoine to visit the St. George oil fields for the purthe St. George oil fleids for the purpose of making an exhaustive examination or the situation in that district, in the interest of Salt Lake and Boston investors. The fact has been thoroughly established that the oil is there, but whether in pay quantities or not is yet to be ascertained.—Callente Express.

#### A. S. CAMPBELL, Stock Broker, 216 D. F. Walker Block.

NEW BUILDING SCHEME. Concrete Work Being Substituted for Steel and Iron.

A new feature in architectural work is the substitution of concrete pillars, beams and flooring for steel and iron, The substitution has been found to work just as well, and there is a markwork just as well, and there is a mark-ed advantage in cost and convenience. A concrete pillar is made by fashion, ing and setting the plastic material around four steel rods set equidistant from each other, and can be made of any size desired; and the beams are made by reinforcing the concrete with slanting steel strips connected with a shallow steel strip running along the base of the beam. Flooring is made by concrete filling in a heavy metallic par-

oncrete filling in a heavy metallic net By this means all the trouble, delay By this means all the trouble, delay and cost and often inconvenience experienced in securing steel beams and pillars frem eastern foundries and rolling mills are avoided. The small steel work necessary can be easily manufactured in this city, and not a pound of material need be shipped in from outside the city. Buildings 17 stories high have been built with this construction, and its introduction has so far been so successful that its general substitution for the metal promises to be a matter of but a short time. The new building at Provo of the Bell Telephone company

## WEBER FRUIT GROWERS.

Meet in Ogden and Organize a County

Horticultural Society. (Special to the 'News.")

Ogden, April 15.-Weber county horticulturists to the number of about 15, met at the office of the county commissioners this morning and organized the Weber County Horticultural society, all present subscribing to the articles of agreement. The meeting was presided over by Hon, Joseph Stanford, while R. E. Wilson acted as secretary. A committee was appointed, consisting of John Farr, John Ballantyne and R. E. Wilson, to prepare a constitution and by-laws, to be submitted at the next meeting of the soelety a week today. At that time Prof. F. D. Ball, entomologist at the Agricultural college, will deliver an filustrated lecture on "The Codling Moth." The meeting will begin at 2 p. m. and all horticulturists are cordially invited to be present. At that time officers of the society will be elected.

### INFURIATED TEAMSTERS. Attack a Non-Union Driver, Drag-

ging Him from His Wagon. Chicago, April 15 .- Infuriated teamsters attacked a caravan of Montgomery, Ward & Co.'s wagons at Kinzie and West Water streets today, dragging John Cox, a non-union driver.from his wagon. The attack was made so quickly that the police were taken by surprise, and it was only after a desperate fight that Cox was rescued.

A peace conference at the office of Mayor Danne today was apparently futile. When the strike leaders energed from a brief session, Presi-dent Shea, of the Teamsters' union.

"Negotiations are all off so far as I am concerned. We will not come back again until the mayor sends for us."

The teamsters, he said, were willing end the strike if the locked out gar

nent workers were immediately reintated. This was refused by Montomery, Ward & Co.

Mayor Dunne, while admitting the tilure of today's conference, gave as is opinion that the trouble could yet e settled with justice to both sides. "I shall not admit that a settlement impossible until I have exhausted very possible resource—and myself," ald the mayor.

The teamsters had signed an agreement to go to work pending arbitrated.

nent to go to work pending arbitra-ion, the peace agreement comprehend-ng acceptance of the mayor as arbitraor and slipulating that employing tall-or and slipulating that employing tall-irs slipuld re-instate all former em-ployes and not hire any non-union help keept under conditions which prevailed previous to the strike. When this prop-position was presented to the National Fallors' association, it is said, the offi-tials of the employers' organization of latter refused to sign the agree-

# TRADE SEEMS TO BE SATISFACTORY

It is Making Good Progress While Building Operations Are

Expanding

## PRICES OF COMMODITIES DOWN.

Declined Nearly Three Per Cent During March-Denver Real Estate Active.

New York, Aprill 14.-Dispatches to Dun's Review indicate that trade is progressing along satisfactory lines, building operations are expanding in a seasonable manner and the outlook is decidedly encouraging. Real estate is active at Denver. Jobbing and retail trade at Portland, Or., responds to better weather. Large exports go to the orient.

Prices of commodities declined 2.7 per cent during March, according to Dun's index number—a logical concomitant of the advancing season, Eggs, dairy and garden products, grain and coal made the most notable declines. Foreign commerce at this port is keeping pace with the improvement in domestic trade, imports for the last week exceeding the same week last year by \$6,656,735, and exports gaining \$5,185,498.

Failures this week numbered 214 in the United States, against 225 last year, and 25 in Canada, compared with 16

### BUSINESS NOTES.

The week has been without many transactions of local stocks, but has been full of interest in several business directions. First in the lively bidding that has been going on among local banks for the good will of the retiring Wells-Fargo concern. The issue of this will not be known for some time to come, but whatever it may be, the entire banking fraternity will be glad to see the number of banks in the community reduced, as there has long been a feeling that that branch of business was overdone in Salt Lake. On the part of the public there is general regret that such an old land mark as Wells-Fargo's bank should be oblit-

erated. erated.

Another item of interest and one that strongly shows the popularity of sugar investments, was the announcement of the formation of the new Western Idaho Sugar company with a capital of a million and a half, which will build the two factories near Boise and Payette, Idaho. That the entire stock should have been subscribed in two or three days and no more be obtainable in a market so limited as this, speaks vol-umes of the favor with which sugar investments are regarded.
Following are the latest quotations:

Amalgamated Sugar Co., Pfd .... \$100 00 Barnes Banking Co., Kaysville... 130 00 Con. W. & M. Co., Pfd....... 100 00 First National bank, Murray... 115 00 Fremont County Sugar Co..... 12 20 Home Fire Insurance Co...... 160 00 Lewiston Sugar Co...... National Bank of the Republic ... 125 00 

 Ogden Savings bank
 160 00

 Provo Com. & Savings bank
 140 00

 Rocky Mt. Bell Tel. Co.
 91 00

 State Bank of Utah
 167 00

 Sugar City Townsite Co.
 150 00

 The Utah Sugar Co.
 Pfd
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Church 101
Salt Lake City Raliroad 102
Sumpter Valley railroad 103
Utah County Light & Power Co. 100

The local business situation during the week has been satisfactory, although there has been nothing phenomenal in any one of the special lines. There was a short lull following conference, but this has passed, and merchants and tradesmen generally report the property of the special state. business conditions as picking up.

## TODAY'S REALTY TRANSFERS.

Carl A. Doscher to H, W. Doscher, 3x10 rods southwest from 5 rods south of the northeast corner of lot 1, block 61, plat B.

H. W. Lawrence to Charles M. Johnson, lots 30 and 31, block 16, Main street
Catherine Sullivan to J. F. Clark, 76½x74 feet southeast from the northwest corner of lot 3, block 74, plat D. int D

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or's Savings Bank & Trust Co.

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or Alvin F. Smith, lots 2, 3 and

Forest Dale

B. Milner to E. J. Wills, lots 42

nd castern one-half of lot 43,

lock 2, Lincoln Park

Conkley to F. W. McAleer & Co.

of 2, block 4, plat D. Wilkes

lingham ngham J. Wills to Roy Jones, lot 35 and block 2, etc., Lincoln Park..... W. Lambourne to C. F. Emery al. part of lot 6, block 31, plat B. State T. C. Griggs to Alvin F. Smith, 4.35x10.56 rods in lot 8, block 1. five-acre plat A. Inited States of American to Silver Shield Mining and Milling company, Grand View lode, etc., West Montrell States of the States of Mountain
ames W. Suilivan et al, part of lot
3. block 74, plat D
oshua Jones to Home Trust and
Savings Co., 106x10 feet southwest
from the northeast corner of lot
29, block 1. City Park

Saltair-Dancing tonight, 8 o'clock.

#### BOSTON MARKET.

Closing quotations today as re-ported by the Brokerage & Finance Co., successors to Hudson Sons Co., brokers, were:

Amalgamated .....88.00 

# STOCK PRICES STRONG AT OPENING

This Was at Some Points While The General Level of Market Was Unchanged.

### OFFERINGS CHECKED RISE.

Before This Tone Was Animated and Buoyant-Bank Statement Had Unfavorable Effect.

> New York, April 15.-Opening prices of stocks today moved up strongly at some oints, while the general level of the mar et was little changed from last night. andful of stocks showing concessions or callzing. Smelting ran off 1% and Lo omotive %. The trading in the truns ontinental group was large and excited Chere were running sales of 8,000 share f St. Paul at 185 to 185%, compared wit 84 last night and 6,500 shares of Union Pacific at 1361/2 and 1361/4, compared with last night. New York Central and Illiois Central rose about a point on large ransactions. Philadelphia Rapid Transit umped 2 and the Metropolitan stocks and he Twin City Rapid Transit rose I. There erre large fractional gains also in quite number of stocks.

ore large fractional gains also in quite number of stocks. The tone was animated and buoyant til heavy offerings of the speculative vortes caused an abrupt check to the e. New York Central was carried a int below last night-and fillhois Lend as much. St. Paul gained over 2 lints and lost half of it. On the surborthern Securities mounted to 180% and apsed to below 182. Great Northern elegred sold ap 8 points to 230. Atlantic ast Line, Car. the Linseed stocks, Ruber Goods preferred, Souff preferred, Lomotive preferred, Realty, North America and Woolen gained 1 to 1½. Lackman rose 2% and reacted 4. Prices were innguid, American Express gained and Pipe preferred 1%. Prices soid off the apeparance of the bank state, Union Pacific feil 1 below last t, St. Paul lost its gain and Atlantic tt. Line reacted 3%. Illinois Central 2½, D. & H. 2. Pump, Tennessee Coal Sloss-Sheffield 1%, and Reading, itson, Canadian Pacific, Northwest-Amalgamated Copper 1 and Sugar 1½. The closing was active and k.

yeak.
Close: Money on call nominal, no loans,
Time loans, easy; 60 days, 3½ per cent;
0 days and six months, 3½63¾ per cent.
Prime mercantile paper, 464½ per cent.
Sterling exchange firm, with actual
unsiness in bankers' bills at 4.86.15 for demand and at 4.84.3564.84.45 for 60-day

ills.
Posted rates, 4.8574.87.
Commercial bills, 4.83%44.84.
Bar silver, 57%.
Mexican dollars, 44%.
Government bonds, steady; railroad onds, firm.

#### LIVESTOCK. CHICAGO,

Chicago. April 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 3 0; barket steady. Good to prime steers, 6.00 26.75; poor to medium. 4.6076.75; stockgrand feeders, 2.5076(19); cows. 2.6075.60; cows. 2.6075.60; beffers, 3.0076.00; canners, 1.6073.00; bulls, 12.5074.90; calves, 3.0077.00. Monday, 10.000; market slow to steady. Mixed and the principal cities for the week ended April 13, with the percentage of increase and decrease as company. butchers, 5.4545.60; god to choice heavy, 5.57545.65; rough heavy, 5.3545.60; lights, 5.3545.3715; bulk of sales, 5.52445.5714.

Sheep—Recelpts, 2.00; market steady; lambs, steady Good to choice wethers, 5.6946.05; fair to choice mixed, 4.5045.50; western sheep, 4.5045.85; faitive lambs, 4.5047.35; western lambs, 4.5047.85.

OMAHA. South Omaha, April 15.—Cattle—Recipts, 200; market unchanged, Native steers, 4.5066.50; cows and heifers, 3.505, 40; western steers, 3.7565.25; canners, 0.063.50; stockers and feeders, 2.7565.00; alves, 2.7565.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.506 40. Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; market higher, eavy, 5,25@5.35; mixed, 5,25@5.30; lights, 25@6.35; pigs, 4.75@5.25; bulk of sales.

Sheep-Receipts, none; market steady. KANSAS CITY. Kansas City, April 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 550; market steady, Native steers, 4.756, 6.80; native cows and helfers, 2.5065, 65; stockers and feeders, 3.5065, 25; bulls, 2.756, 4.75; calves, 2.536, 25; western fed steers, 5.0036, 40; western fed cows, 3.5035, 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 2.000; market 5 cents ligher, Bulk of sales, 5.3565, 46; heavy, 5.406, 45; packers, 5.3565, 46; pigs and lights, 4.2565, 40.

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ST. LOUIS. St. Louis, April 15,—Wool, duli, Terri-ory and western medium, 22623; fine nedium, 17@18; fine, 15@17.

# NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, April 15.—Sugar, raw, nominal, Fair refining, 4½; centrifugal, 96 test, 1%; molasses sugar, 4.
Refined—Dull, Crushed, 6.85; powdered, 6.25; granulated, 6.15.
Coffee—Steady, No. 7 Rio, 7%.

#### PRODUCE. CHICAGO.

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Chicago, April 15.—Selling of the May delivery by a prominent long had a weak-ening influence on the wheat market to-day. Bearlan sentiment was increased by a decline at Liverpool. As a result of low temperatures throughout the west and southwest, the market opened firm with July up ½ to ½ at 87% to 88. May was % to 1½ higher at 1.15½ to 1.16. Pressure on May developed seon after the opening and the price quickly dropped to 1.14. Covering by shorts forced the price up again to 1.14%. In sympathy with the weakness of May, the July option sold off to 87%. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 239 cars against 126 a year ago. year ago.

Liquidation of May continued throughut the session. Fresh reports of damage
o the winter wheat crop caused a firm
one in July the last hour of trading.
The market closed about steady with July
up ½ at 87%. May was off ½ at 1.14%.
Sentiment in the corn pit was bearish,
partly as a result of the weaknes of
wheat. A feature was the heavy selling
of May and a consequent decline of more
than a cent in the price of that delivery.
July created unchanged to a shade lower
at 48%,048% to 48% and sold off to 4%. At
the close July was down & at 4%.
July oats opened unchanged at 40, sold
at 30000% and then reacted to 19%.
July pork was unchanged at 13,07%.
Lard was up 2% at 7.50, ribs were a shade
higher at 7.35 at the opening.
Close: Wheat-May. 1.14%; July, 87%;
Sept. 82%. Close: Wheat—May, 1.14%; July, 87%; Sept., 82%; Sept., 82%; Corn—April, 17%; May, 47%; July, 48; Sept., 4824; Sept., 4824; July, 27%; Sept., 29, Pork—May, 12,725; 212,75; July, 13,59, Lard—April, 7,17%; May, 7,2597,27%; July, 7,45, Sept., 7,576; 37,60, Ribs—May, 7,000; 7,02%; July, 7,27%; 37; Sept., 7,77%; July, 7,27%; 37; Sept., 7,57%; July, 7,27%; 39; Sept., 7,57%; 39; Sept., 7,57%;

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# PEOPLE FLEEING FROM SICKNESS.

Are Leaving Tonopah by the Hundreds and Are Flocking Into Reno.

### TOWN SEEMS PLACUE STRICKEN

Disease Strikes Without Warning-The Healthy Most Susceptible -Death Not Long Delayed.

Reno, Nev., April 14,-Hundreds of people flocked into Reno on the Virginia & Truckee train tonight, fleeing from the sickness now so prevalent at Tonopah. Every train for a week has been crowded and, strange as it may seem, the ingoing trains have been filled That people are dying in the bonanza

camp is now generally admitted, but the theory that their deaths has been caused by wood alcohol poisoning is caused by wood alcohol poisoning is scouted. The people of the town have taken the matter in hand and tomorrow morning the Nevada State Journal of this place will send in a physician, Dr. Heppner, late of the United States army, and a man who has been through a number of plagues. He goes to find the true conditions in the camp, and will submit a report soon after his arrival there.

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Gov. Sparks tomorrow will also appoint a special medical commission and send the members into Tonopah. These men will co-operate with the physicians of the camp and at once begin a cam-paign to check the disease that is mowing down people at the rate of from five to twenty-five each day. Yester-day 12 bodies were stretched out on cay 12 bodies were stretched out on slabs in the only undertaking estab-lishment in the camp. An equal num-ber at least were dead around the town. The disease strikes without warning. the healthy are the most susceptible, and in from 12 to 24 hours are dead, the bodies blackened by the mysterious poison that saps their lives away.

A quarantine has not been declared as yet, but probably will be within the next 24 hours.

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